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Miscellany.

Missionary—The money which you have given to the cause will be like bread cast upon the water. Drummer—Oh, that's all right. I shall charge it in my expenses.—Boston Transcript.

The astronomers are again calling attention to the theoretic fact that the sun is burning up and must inevitably lose its heat, and leave the world in which we live, a cold and desolate waste, uninhabitable by man. This is to happen somewhere between four million and ten million years from now, if the calculations made are correct. Meanwhile, the sun is proving every day that it is hot enough for all human needs.

A KENTUCKY MOUNTAINEER.

What a Small Amount of Money Is Needed to Make One Wealthy.

"I had a glimpse of life in the Kentucky mountains the other day that I will not soon forget," said a capitalist. "I made a trip into that section as the representative of a syndicate to look at some coal lands. I went as far as I could by rail and then took a horse and rode into the wilderness. Towards night I brought up at a little cabin, of which I had been previously informed, and made arrangements to spend the night there. This cabin was about twenty feet long by about twelve feet wide. On the ground floor it was all one room. Above was a loft, to which access was gained by means of a ladder and a hole in the floor. There was a little corn growing around the place and there were two hogs. In the rear of the cabin was a low shed, open at one end and with a slanting roof. It was just big enough to hold a cow at night. The cow, which was a lean, woe-begone looking animal, the two hogs and the corn constituted, apparently, the entire assets of the place.

"In this establishment were living a man and his wife and eight children, the eldest being twelve years of age. They lived on cornmeal and pork, with occasionally some milk. Both the man and woman were barefooted. The elder children had clothes enough to cover their nakedness, but the younger were not so fortunate. The man seemed to be a slow, dull sort of fellow, who had lived in destitution so long that he had become used to it. The woman was different. Her face wore an expression of abject despair. If a painter had wanted a model for a picture entitled "Hopelessness," he need have gone no further. After supper the man went out to feed the hogs and the cow and to do other chores.

"I talked to the woman for about an hour, and succeeded with great difficulty in getting her story. Her pride stood in the way of her telling me anything for a long time. During all the time in which she talked the expression of dull listlessness, to which her face had become habituated, never left it but once. Then a look of something like happiness came over her features. This was when she said that they had not always been poor. 'We weren't always this way,' she said. 'We were well off once. We saved enough, him and me, so that we were rich. We had $27 laid away once.' That was her idea of wealth. Twenty-seven dollars! She went on to say that the children had come fast; that a cow had to be bought, and that she cost $18. The children had fallen sick and a doctor had to be brought in from civilization, and he cost $5, and so it went till their fortune had gone and they had nothing left of that magnificent $27.

"The next morning I paid them for my lodging. I had slept in the loft and the family had slept in the room below. None of them took off their clothes. I had brought with me a huge lot of roast beef sandwiches and ate three for my supper and breakfast, for I had been warned that I probable could not get anything to eat there. Before leaving I took $27 and wrapped it up in a newspaper and left it on a table in the middle of the room. Then I rode away feeling vastly pleased with myself, and knowing that there was one mountaineer's family in Kentuck that had recovered its lost fortune."—Courier-Journal, Louisville.

DEB'S STRIKE DYING.

All But the Strike Leaders Acknowledge That the Railroads Have Won.

Southern Pacific Claim to Have Enough Men to Man All Their Trains.

Chicago, Ill., July 17.—Officers of the First regiment stationed at Pullman yesterday tried to persuade the Pullman men to return to work and leave their differences to be settled after. Vice-President Wickes of the company, objected, insisting that the men should make application for work and ask the company to resume. The men learning this declared that they would never surrender. The mayor, in reply to a communication from General Miles with regard to his ability for preserving the peace and protecting property if the Federal troops were withdrawn, said, Chicago always has been ready and able to do so. It is said the regulars will begin to evacuate to-day and some of the militia will be withdrawn. Everything is quiet.

Debs, accompanied by counsel, appeared in the United States court to-day to answer to any summons that might be issued. This action was taken because it was reported the contempt proceedings against him would be begun to-day.

The court room was crowded when Debs and the others entered. When a few minor motions had been disposed of, Special Counsel Walker for the government, asked for a special attachment against Debs and others for contempt of court. Another information was lodged against the defendants on behalf of the Santa Fe road. The judge then issued double attachments against Debs, Howard, Keliher and Rogers, returnable at 2 o'clock, but instructed the United States marshal not to make the service if the defendants agree to appear voluntarily. The district attorney will today present a criminal information against Debs, Howard, Secretary Kelsher and Director Rogers of the American Railway Union.

Gompers arrived here to-day. He says there is no coolness between him and Debs.

Oakland, July 17.—The report that the Los Angeles engineers intended to strike to-day is discredited here. The local engineers say the strike is dead, and if they ever had any idea of going out it is past. The order to the strikers that they must not assemble at West Oakland is disregarded. Plenty of them were seen moving towards the American Railway Union's headquarters this morning.

Sacramento, Cal., July 17.—The situation was unchanged at 9 o'clock this morning, and the strikers are still hopeful. The railroad officials announce that they have crews enough to run all trains and the strikers say the fact that the railroad is running no trains north to Red Bluff and east of Truckee is because no crews are to be had. The soldiers are running the railroad, and their presence will break the strike.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 17.—The engineers came to no conclusion last night as to going out to-day, and they are waiting for further orders. Neither road has been able to get freight out this morning, but the local passenger trains are running on both roads. The firemen held a separate meeting late last night, and the almost unanimous sentiment was not to pay any attention to the engineers and to go back to work and even run the engines themselves.

Boston, July 17.—Rev. Dr. Pullman, pastor of the First Universalist church, said yesterday with regard to the strike, that he had taken much interest in it because it concerned his brother. He added: "I should like to see workmen secure justice but the strike is lost or about to be. The workmen have been at the head, but strikers cannot win with incendiary torch or hoodlum bludgeons. Strike and boycott will be things of the past when humanity and justice are the basis of our laws."

Uniontown, Pa., July 17.—It is reported here that deputy sheriffs at the Morel coke works, near Connellsville, last night fired on the strikers, killing three.

NEED A LARGE ARMY.

Recent Events Caused General Schofield to Change His Views.

Boston, July 17.—Major-General J. Schofield, commanding the United States Army, arrived in Boston last night on his way to Bar Harbor. In conversation with a reporter, he said that the late strike in Chicago had caused him to modify somewhat his views expressed in a recent published article signed by him, in which he had taken the ground that a small but well disciplined army with better coast defence, would be sufficient to protect the country from invasion. The question of interior disturbances had not been raised at that time. The general said: "I think upon considering the events which have recently taken place that an increase of armed force is needed. Several thousand men should be added at once. A small army, well disciplined, is obviously superior to a large one, all trained, but a large army well drilled is now almost absolutely required." In speaking of the massing of troops near large cities, he said: "It has been the policy of the government to mobilize troops near railroad centres as the centres have been large cities. The problem has been solved to a large extent. Troops are placed near Chicago, for instance. I was in command of that division in 1884. At that time this mobilizing of soldiers was done. It is done yet because Chicago is a large city and because it is the railroad centre of the entire northern frontier. We can send a large force under this system to any desired point. This policy was begun as soon as the Indian outbreaks had been suppressed and the outposts were abolished."

Calderwood Surrenders.

Colorado Springs, Colo., July 17.—President Calderwood, of the Miners' Union at Cripple Creek, whom the authorities want on the charge of murder, has surrendered.

SURVEY NOT NECESSARY.

Mr. Siemens Talks About Pacific Cable —Would Undertake the Work.

Alexander Siemens, president of the Institute of Electrical Engineers of Grea Britain, in conversation with a Montreal reporter, said: "Our firm would be ready to undertake the Pacific cable project to-morrow. The intercolonial conference has not heard the proper experts, surveys are not essential, as our firm has laid six cables without having regard to a detailed knowledge of the ocean bed. It is all a question paying out more cable than the distance of the route. For instance, by means of a device we employ, the percentage of slackness required, as the cable is being laid out, is automatically registered on shipboard. The tension indicated determines what percentage of slackness shall be allowed, and we are always on the sure side. Experience shows that the cable can support seven miles of its own weight without breaking.

"By the means indicated," continued Mr. Siemens, "I would not have any hesitation in undertaking the laying of the Pacific cable to-morrow. We could lay it in three years from the day we began the manufacture of the cable in England, and at a higher price could rush it to completion in two years. It is true the depths of the Pacific are greater than on the Atlantic. The greatest recorded depth in the Pacific is given at 3500 fathoms, but it must be noted that we recently successfully grappled a cable in mid-Atlantic at a depth of 2700 fathoms. This question of depth, with our modern apparatus, is practically no factor at all. If it were decided not to touch at any foreign possession, like the Sandwich Islands, the cable could be laid via Necker Island, one of the group known as the St. Phoenix Islands, a distance of only 2780 miles. Thence it could be continued on to Australia, touching at our British possessions en route."

VICTIMS OF DYNAMITE.

Explosion Among a Crowd of Miners About to Commence Work.

Hazelton, Pa., July 17.—Two hundred sticks of dynamite exploded in the North Stockton mines to-day among a crowd of workmen about to begin the day's work. All were shattered and torn to fragments. The number of killed is placed at between eight and eleven. The explosion occurred while the storekeeper, O'Donnell, was distributing dynamite to the men. The mule drivers and the animals in the vicinity were thrown around in every direction.

AMERICAN NEWS.

To-Day's Events in the Various States to the South.

Washington, D. C., July 17.—The President has signed the Utah statehood bill.

Jersey City, N. J., July 17.—Altenberger, who killed Katie Rupp, was sentenced to-day to be hanged on September 6.

Foreign Notes.

London, July 17.—The Czarewitch left London for Cowes to-day.

Vienna, July 17.—Herr Joseph Hirtle, a distinguished anatomist, died to-day.

NO USE FOR OPALS.

Bowery Dealers Do Not Care for the Changeful Gem.

Among the gems and precious stones that make the Bowery shop windows brilliant it is very seldom that an opal can be found, says the New York Sun. When one is seen it is pretty sure to be small, opaque and lustreless. Diamonds, sapphires, rubies, emeralds, pearls, amethysts, garnets, carbuncles, topazes and many other jewels, together with the imitation thereof, can be found in plenty, but the opal is a rare spectacle. A man who spends much of his time in watching the pawnshops and sale stores of that thoroughfare for good bargains asked a pawnbroker why it was that for three years he had never seen a good opal displayed. He got this explanation:

"Opals don't go here. They won't sell much in this part of the town, and when we do get hold of a good one, which is seldom, we don't put it in the window, but take it to some up town jeweler. The reason is this, in my opinion: Most people are superstitious about opals, especially the class with which we mostly deal, east siders and sporting men. People who live on the east side don't wear opals, generally speaking, on account of the ill luck that is supposed to go with them. Most gamblers, too, believe that the many colored gems brings bad luck, but not all. Those who wear them are not superstitious about them in this respect, but they regard the opal as a sort of personal mascot, and, having once got hold of one, they will part with everything else first. I have known many a gambler to go hungry with a $200 opal on his finger or in his scarf.

"They say that the stone foretells their luck, paling when bad luck is ahead and growing very brilliant before good fortune. The gambler with an opal will often go a week without playing because his opal is dull in color. The fact is that opals depend for their color largely on the weather. When there is moisture in the air they brighten and in dry times they are dull. The few opals that the pawnshops do catch are mostly from women's rings, and are small and poor in quality."

Such were the views of the shopkeeper, but there is one reason for the scarcity of opals in the Bowery which he found it expedient not to explain. A ward detective who is familiar with this region gives this explanation:

"You can't fake an opal. Diamonds and rubies and sapphires, and almost any other stone can be imitated so well that only an expert can tell the difference. The Bowery windows are full of real stones put right next to fake stones, when a greeney comes in to buy he is likely to pay for the real thing and have it changed right under his nose. But anybody that's got two eys can tell a good opal from a poor one. There isn't much chance for a pawnbroker selling an opal for four times what it's worth, and there's no chance of his selling an imitation. Consequently opals are not popular in the Bowery shops."

FRANCHISE BILL DROPPED.

The Voters' Lists This Year Are to be Revised According to the Old System.

Minister Haggart and the Auditor-General Engage in a Verbal Battle.

Ottawa, July 17.—Sir John Thompson in the house to-day announced that he would drop the franchise bill as in its original shape and ask the house to pass such parts of it as applied to the revision of the lists in the constituencies changed by the redistribution act and to make provision for the delay which had now taken place in the revision of the lists by giving longer time to do the work this year.

Dalton McCarthy's amendment to the Northwest bill, dealing with the question of separate schools, was voted down by 100 to 21.

There was a tilt between Minister Haggard and Auditor-General McDougall at the meeting of the public accounts committee to-day. Mr. Haggart and the auditor have been pulling badly over the Curran bridge and other matters. To-day the minister accused the auditor of charging interest wrongly to some of the subsidies between the provinces and the Dominion. The auditor showed him that under the audit act he had nothing to do with these. Then the minister questioned him as to the Indian trust fund. He said that the auditor-general allowed this land management fund to be overdrawn by general letters of credit, through the action of the deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs, without the knowledge of his minister, Mr. Haggard meant Mr. Vankoughnet, whose minister was Mr. Dewdney. Mr. McDougall showed that he had no satisfactory authority to prevent the department by letters of credit overdrawing Indian funds, since they issued general letters of credit, but he showed that his fund was not overdrawn. The matter will come up again at the committee meeting to-morrow.

Among the railway subsidies proposed are the following for British Columbia railways:

From the junction of Elk and Kootenay rivers to Coal creek (Crow's Nest pass), 34 miles, $103,800. Abbotsford to Chilliwack, 21 miles, $67,200. Nicola Valley, 28 miles, from the end of the western end of the subsidised road, $89,600. Nakusp & Slocan, 35 miles, from Nakusp to the Forks of Carpenter creek, $121,600.

WOULD SOLIDIFY THE LIBERALS

This Will be the Effect if the Lords Throw out the Budget.

London, July 17.—The Westminster Gazette says if Salisbury succeeds in having the house of lords throw out the budget bill because of the estates tax clauses it will solidify the Liberals and give effect to the demand for the abolition of the lords.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

Gould Heirs Want to be Relieved of Personal Taxes.

The children of the late Jay Gould have begun proceedings for the purpose of being relieved of personal taxes in New York county on the ground that they are non-residents.

Congress to-day agreed to the senate amendments to the house bill extending for one year the period within which entries under pre-emption may be paid. The conference report on the bill fixing limitations of time for closing up entries of land under the donation law was agreed to.

THE NEW THAMES TUNNEL.

Compressed Air Required for the Men While at Work.

Hitherto the work of excavating and constructing the Blackwell tunnel has been carried on without the safeguard of compressed air, the adoption of which has from the outset been arranged for. The contractors, Messrs. Pearson & Son, of Victoria street, are, however, of the opinion that they have gone as far as it is safe or practicable to go with ordinary pumping in the tunnel itself, and that to an attempt to go further would be to incur great risk of a serious settlement. They have, therefore, brought their air lock into use, and have just commenced work under pressure.

The men engaged in the operation of tunneling are practical miners, and the mere excavation is no very serious business for them. It is to be feared, however, that the necessity for this special condition of their labor will tell painfully upon some of them. They have before them about 1,200 feet of tunnel to construct actually under the river, and at the central portion they will have above them at high tide somewhere about 80 feet of water and only about seven feet of a loose and porous rive bed. To keep out this head of water there must be an atmospheric pressure of about 35 pounds to the square inch, over and above the ordinary pressure of the atmosphere. This is the theoretical necessity, at all events, though it is said that in practice something considerably under what theory seems to require is found sufficient in such work. It is, however, a pressure great enough to cause some men serious distress, and, of course, the undertaking is beset by peril for all engaged in it. It is a satisfaction to know that the county council has made special provision for the insurance of the lives of the workmen employed here.—London News.

Presidential Appointments.

Washington, July 17.—The President to-day nominated J. R. Jackson, Newhampshire, to be consul at Sherbrooke, Que; to be registrar of land office, J. G. Stevenson of Washington at Vancouver, and M. E. Hughes to be postmaster at Sonora, California.

THE LATEST CABLE NEWS

Business in Constantinople Paralyzed—Arrests of Anarchists in France.

A Plot to Blow Up the Czar at Smolensk—Cholera in St. Peterburgh.

Constantinople, July 15.—The panic caused by the earthquake does not abate. The running of a heavy cart or the rattling of windows send the occupants of near by houses into the street. The rich families have sought refuge on the upper Bosphorus. Business is virtually stagnant. Half of the merchants closed their shops after the last shock and have not returned to them. Every day shows that the original disaster was more serious than was at first supposed. The number of deaths exceeds two hundred, and the property loss is immense. The mosque at St. Sophia was damaged, but can be repaired.

London, July 16.—The Standard's correspondent at Vienna telegraphs that Pester Lloyd publishes a dispatch from Warsaw stating that the proposed manoeuvres of the Russian army near Smolensk have been abandoned. The dispatch adds that the abandonment was due to the discovery recently made of mines that were intended to blow up the building which would have been occupied as the headquarters of the Czar. A number of Nihilists have been arrested in connection with the plot.

A dispatch to the Standard from St. Petersburg says it is stated there that the Czar has announced his intention to pardon, on the occasion of the wedding of the Czarewitch and Prnicess Alix of Hesse, a large number of persons convicted of political offences. The Czar, it is said, will found a charitable institution in honor of the marriage.

Paris, July 15.—Several foreign anarchists have been arrested at Montpelier and will be expelled from the country. A Spanish anarchist, named Iset, has been taken into custody, at Perpigan on a charge of being implicated in a plot to murder President Casimir-Perier.

Rome, July 15.—The police of Bastia, Corsica, a few days ago received information from the Italian police, that led to the arrest of Anarchist Enrico Luchesi, who is believed to have been the assassin of Signor Bandi, editor of the Gazetta Livornesse, of Legborn, who was stabbed on July 1 as he was entering his carriage. Sig. Bandi died a few hours afterward. Luchesi is known to the police as a dangerous anarchist, and it is supposed he determined to kill Sig. Bandi for attacks upon anarchists published in his paper.

London, July 15.—A special dispatch to the Times from Chemulpo says fresh trouble has broken out in the district of Korea where the recent uprising occurred. Christians are involved in the trouble, and a number of them have been killed. The French fathers are now threatened.

A dispatch to the Standard states that the North German Gazette, commenting upon British mediation in the Chinese-Japanese dispute, says such mediation does not mean a settlement of the question, as it is perfectly clear that Japan wants to profit by the troubles to push the Chinese out of the peninsula.

St. Petersburg, July 15.—There were reported in this city yesterday 218 new cases of cholera and 69 deaths. The physicians and authorities are seriously alarmed by the spread of the cholera. Elaborate sanitary precautions have been taken.

The Sultan of Morocco has dismissed from office his grand visier and minister of war.

In the future American gold will be the only legal tender in the colony of British Honduras.

Brazilian rebel Admiral da Gama, who is in Portugal, has informed President Peixoto that he is ready to surrender. This action has probably been taken to keep Admiral Mello in exile.

NOT BORNE OUT BY FACTS.

Debs Says no Freight is Moving, but It Does Move.

Chicago, July 16.—President Debs of the American Railway Union still claims to be certain of coming out ahead in his fight with the railways. Directors Goodwin and Hogan of the American Railway Union left to-day to begin the work of organization in the northwest and in the country west of the Mississippi. There are now eight organizers out. "Our policy," said Mr. Debs, "is to keep these organizers with the men, so that the strikers will not weaken. We have everything solid west of the Mississippi; that is our strong point. I claim that as long as we have traffic stopped at any one point we have not yet lost the fight. It is as if you stop the flow of blood in an artery—you stop the circulation in the whole system."

"But everything seems to be running smoothly on the different roads, does it not?" Mr. Debs was asked.

"Oh, well," admitted the labor leader, "the passenger business in and out is being transacted fairly well, but there are no freights moving at all, and that is where we have the best of them; that is where we expected to cripple the enemy."

At the depots Mr. Debs' statement that freight traffic is paralyzed, is not by any means borne out. Most of the roads are moving freight without the slightest trouble. When shown a United Press dispatch stating that Mr. Heathcote, leader of the Pullman strikers, had asked him to call off the strike, Mr. Debs denied it flatly: "The Pullman strikers are just as firm as ever," he said. "They have no intention of going back to work. If Mr. Pullman is satisfied they are, Mr. Heathcote had not made any proposition of that kind; on the contrary, he has assured me of his continued co-operation."

Mr. Debs received a report from La Salle, Ill., this morning declaring that the Rock Island road is badly congested at that point. Mr. Debs asserted that within 48 hours he would have the Rock Island in as bad a shape as ever.

DEBS STILL FIGHTING.

But the Pullman Strikers Are About Ready to Give Up.

Chicago, July 16.—Thomas Heathercott, one of the leaders of the Pullman strike committee, admits that the strike, as far as the Pullman employes are concerned, is practically over. According to his views the men have been literally starved out. The differences between employer and employes, he says, are slight, a mere matter of rent. Mr. Heathercott was disheartened to-day. He said:

"The men here are becoming unmanageable. It takes all the leaders can do to keep them in line. They have no money. I believe that not one-third of them have money enough to pack up their goods and move as far as Kensington. I myself have not a dollar in my house. Those who had a little saved up have used it by this time, and every day more and more are coming to the relief fund and drawing a small amount in order to keep alive."

The American Railway Union officials have determined to make a desperate struggle to regain for that order the prestige it has lost in the great strike now rapidly approaching a close. The executive board of the union held a meeting this morning, the object of which was to map out a course for the future. After a long discussion it was decided to send out "revivalists" to all important sections of the west. Six agitators had been sent out Saturday, and it was decided to augment this number.

After this meeting adjourned an enthusiastic meeting was held in Ulrich's hall, President Debs presiding. He made a rousing speech, reminding one of the early days of the strike. "The strike," said he, "is now, right now, more prosperous and more encouraging than ever before. We can and must win. The men who have gone back to work will again come back to us and victory is ours. Grand Chief Arthur of the engineers is a scab jobber. He will go down in history as a traitor to organized labor. He instructs his men to work with scabs and tells them that scabbing is honorable. He is a tool in the hands of the general managers. The strike is weaker in Chicago than elsewhere," continued Debs, "but it will grow stronger, just as in the west it is growing stronger every hour." Fifteen meetings were held in different parts of the city during the afternoon and evening, several of which were addressed by Debs.

HAD HE A GRIEVANCE.

A Mean Proceeding That the Alderman Was Justified in Resenting.

"Let's see," mused a drummer at a Detroit hotel the other evening according to the Free Press, "but isn't there a place around here somewhere called Lake St. Clair Flats?"

"Yes, sir," replied the alderman in the group.

"Great place for fishing?"

"The best in the world."

"Always sure of getting fish at the Flats?"

"Always, if in season."

"I've read and heard a great deal of the place and I known several Cincinnati people who have been up there. One of 'em told me he caught four perch up there between sunrise and sunset."

"Only four?" gasped the alderman. "Why, my dear sir, what could your friend have been doing all that day?"

"Fishing for perch. He didn't even stop for dinner. Another one told me that he caught three black bass during the week he made a business of fishing, but, of course—"

"Only three black bass in a week! I'd like to know what sort of fisherman your friends calls himself?"

"He is rated an A1 man, but I'm sorry to say nobody had any confidence in his word. His story wasn't quite as bad as that of my brother, though. Say! there was a man that stood right up at the bar of the Burnet house and gave us his solemn word that he caught a pike up there which weighed two full pounds. He wouldn't take off a fraction of an ounce. They expelled him from a club for lying, but I often wondered if he did not really believe what he was telling."

"He didn't claim but two pounds for his pike!" demanded the alderman as he turned pale.

"Only two pounds. There was a Covington man in the party, and when he got back home he went around telling everybody that he hooked a fish so large that it broke his line. They were going to run him for mayor of the town, but that killed him. People argued that if he would lie about one thing he would about another, and that it wasn't a safe thing to put a liar in public office."

"Was that all he claimed—that a fish broke his line?"

"That's all, but it settled his hash pretty quick. So there is good fishing at the Flats, eh? I'm glad to meet a man who knows all about it. Now, alderman, I wish you'd give me a few particulars."

"No, sir—no, sir!" exclaimed the alderman as he jumped up and mopped the perspiration from his brow.

"Won't you tell me how many perch you have caught in a month up there?"

"No, sir!"

"Nor the weight of your largest fish?"

"No, sir!"

"But, you see, alderman"—

"I see nothing! I won't tell you one durned word about fishing. I was given to understand that you were an honorable, straightforward man, but I have discovered to the contrary. No, sir—not [illegible] choke another man off as you have me can go and fish in a mudhole.

WHAT WE ARE COMING TO.

Effects of Present Industrial Methods on Man's Physique.

The whole tendency of the industrial age is, of course, to render the manual contact of man with matter less and less frequent and direct. Machinery is made to intervene wherever possible When not, the functions of labor are divided and sub-divided until each individual comes to perform a mere specia; fragment of the work, a fragment so limited in scope, necessitating so constant a repetition of the same few machine like movements, that all freedom of muscular action is shut out. The expansive actions, with a practical end in view, grow, in short, fewer ever. The expression of the civilized human body grows, then, more and more concentric, more and more static. The logical finis of the industrial man would seem, as to physique, to be entire atrophy of the powers of muscular expressiveness.

Oh! let no one object that the expansive actions without a practical end—without an end of immediate, positive, commonplace utility—will save the situation and preserve some poses and motions of the future beauty for the artist of the future. Physical culture for the sake of physical culture alone will not do that. Football availeth not, nor all the scale of athletics. Not in the highest sense. The primary condition of true beauty is fitness; otherwise, concrete usefulness.—The Point of View, in Scribner.

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BIRDS AND THEIR NESTS.

The Belief That They Use Them but One Season is Wrong.

In a rookery near Bristol it was noticed that a particular pair of old birds continued to visit their nest long after all other broods had flown. A man climbed the tall elm and found a full grown rook so firmly held by some string in the lining of the nest that it had no hope of escape. Lowell reckoned among his immortal "Garden Acquaintance" two bluejays which his knife delivered from a similar captivity. "The third in its struggles to escape, had so much harmed itself that I thought it humane," he says, "to put an end to its misery." Sadder still is the fate that sometimes befalls the whole brood of swallows or martins, hatched so late in the year that, when their parents go, they are left behind to perish miserably in the forsaken nest. It is comforting to reflect that their frail bodies could not long hold out against the keen air of November.

By most birds the nest is only occupied for a brief space in the year. It is more of nursery than living room. Yet the Spanish proverb is not true that says "That there are no birds in last year's nest." There are a good many that use the same frame work year after year; repairing it, no doubt; at least re-lining it; but it is the same nest. If rooks do sometimes rebuild from the foundation it seems as if the majority were content to repair what the storms had spared of their old tenements. House sparrows certainly often repair the old nest again, and some of them probably inhabit the family mansion all the year. Kingfishers have been known to resort to the same hole in the bank for years together. And there is a case on record in which a hole was inhabited by a pair of woodpeckers or their descendants for thirty years at a stretch. The fly-catcher, too, is very constant to her old haunts, and will come back to the old spot and repair the old nest for many successive years. We all know how the swallow returns year after year to her nest among the rafters, and the martin to her old home beneath the eaves. Sand martins, too, come back without fail to the bank of the river, and when they are observed to begin a fresh tunnel, it is, perhaps, more because the old quarters have been rendered untenable by swarms of fleas than from any great hankering after a better view or a drier situation.

The most extraordinary case of all, probably, is that of the blue tits which built their nests in a bottle hung in a tree to drain, in a garden near Stockton-on-Tees, in the year 1785. Their tenancy, or that of their descendants, lasted, with two short intervals only, for close on 90 years. But many birds, the majority, no doubt, have no such dwellings to resort to, and in these hard times, when darkness begins to settle down over the landscape, are fain to creep away into the shelter of ivy and evergreens, into roofs and stacks and hollow trees.* But even those that make no nest at all come back year after year to the same spot, to the same solitary corner of the upland pasture, the same ledge of rock, the same stretch of shelterless shingle. The ringed plover will stay all the year within cry of the beach where, just above high-water mark, she will lay her four great eggs among the pebbles.

London Daily News.

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Whereas the certificate of title of Ernest Schurch to the above hereditaments bearing date the 7th April, 1891, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 30th June, 1894. jy30-1m

A WONDERFUL CATARACT.

Twice as High as Niagara and Much More Awe Inspiring.

For many years vague reports of a great waterfall in Labrador near the head waters of the Grand River had led men to explore the interior plateau of that region, but no satisfactory account had been given of the appearance of the falls until the recent publication of the results of an exploration undertaken by Henry G. Bryant, of Philadelphia. The object of this exploration was expressly to verify the reports as to the height and location of this natural wonder.

On September 2, last year, Mr. Bryant's party reached the cataract. "Standing on the rocky brink of the chasm," he has written, "a wild and tumultous scene lay before us, a scene possessing sublimity and with details not to be apprehended in the first moments of wondering comprehension. Far up stream one beheld the surging, fleecy waters and tempestuous billows, dashing high their crests of foam, forced onward toward the steep rock whence they took their wild leap into the pool below." Conversation amid the roar and reverberations was impossible. It seems that a mile above the falls the river is a noble stream about a quarter of a mile wide, already sweeping along with accelerated velocity. The walls draw nearer to one another as three successive rapids are passed, down which the volume of water passes, now gathering in great billows, till, with an arrowy flight, the whole vast volume shoots out into the air.

The sheer fall is 316 feet, at the head of which inclines a shute with a further vertical height of 32 feet, making the total descent from the head of the chute to the surface of the water in the basin 348 feet. The Grand Falls are thus nearly twice as high as that of Niagara, and are inferior to that cataract in volume of water. In respect of its power to awaken human emotion, however, it may well be questioned whether the Grand Falls is not the greater of the two. Indeed there can be little doubt that such is the case, while the Grand Falls are seen amid the wild nakedness of nature, as Niagara itself was seen by its earlier white visitors. In approaching the scene Mr. Bryant's party were able to hear the roar at a distance of 20 miles.

A summer excursion party from New York visists the Labrador coast the coming season, and no doubt they will be well repaid for their time, but the spectacle of the Grand Falls is not yet for the like of such as they. The Bryant party set out for Rigolet in Hamilton Inlet, July 23, and, as we have seen, arrived at the falls after an ardduous journey, not wholly free from perils, on the 2nd of September.

THE SWORD OF WOLFE.

A precious Historical Relic Which Will be Sold at Auction.

Henry J. Morgan, of this city, has been informed by Messrs. Southey, Wilkinson and Hodge, of 18, Wellington street, Strand, London, England, that the sword carried by General Wolfe at the taking of Quebec is to be sold at auction. One of the owners of this interesting weapon was a citizen of Ottawa, the late Stewart Derbishere, for many years Queen's printer, and who had previously represented Bytown in the legislative assembly of Canada. Mr. Derbishere gave it to Major Dunn, of the 100 regiment, on his departure from Canada in 1858. Major Dunn was at Balaklava and won the Victoria Cross for bravery. From him it passed to Thurlow Dowling, of the war office, whose son now offers, for private reasons, to dispose of it.

During the London exhibition of 1862, we are informed by an article in Good Words that the sword was displayed in the Canadian department "where it was examined by thousands with that tender respect which everything connected with the young hero who fell on the Plains of Abraham ought ever to excite." It was surmounted by a scroll, with an imperial crown, having the inscription: "Sword of General Wolfe, who fell at Quebec, 13th September, 1759." In a letter written to Mr. Morgan, Col. Dowling relates that the hilt of the sword, which possesses a three-cornered blade, is of silver.

Already the dealers have received several offers for the purchase of the relic. Among these is one from a well known New York collector—so that the bright and animated weapon once wielded by the all-conquering arm of the hero of Louisbourg and Quebec stands a chance of finding a resting place among the curiosities of Barnum's museum. We trust, however, that no such unhappy fate is in store for it; but that following the excellent example of the Marquis of Lorne, with Montgomery's sword, at one time held by a Quebecer, but which, through his lordship's influence was gracefully restored to the people and the country of the famous Irish-American. Wolfe's sword, together with that worn by the equally heroic Montcalm, if in existence, may be acquired by the nation and held for all time.—Ottawa Citizen.

ARTIFICIAL FRUIT SUGAR.

A New Beet Product That May Prove Convenient.

Consul Frank H. Mason, of Frankfort, Germany, writes the state department about a recent chemical discovery which will be of great practical interest in those portions of the United States where the preservations of fruits has become an established industry. The discovery is a process by which fruit sugar may be manufactured from beet juice as an improved product specially adapted to certain purposes. Dr. O. Follenius, director of the sugar beet factories at Humburg and Hattersheim, near Frankfort, is the inventor. The invention has been patented in Germany and other European countries, but not in the United States. It consists in the inversion of beet sugar at a certain stage of its manufacture by chemical treatment into what is technically called "laculose," which is chemically identical with the natural fruit sugar developed in a greater or less degree in most kinds of fruit. Fruit sugar differs, both in taste and chemical composition, from cane sugar. Although of recent invention, it is largely used in Germany for perfecting wines, as well as in the manufacture of fine liquors, and is far superior to ordinary sugar for making lemonade or other compositions in which the saccharine principle is brought into contact with acid juices.

Mr. Mason writes that the sugar manufactured by this process is a limpid white syrup of great density, containing from 75 to 70 per cent. of sugar, and possessing among other valuable qualities a rich, fruity flavor, as of natural fruit sugar and the capacity to remain fluid and free from granulation for an indefinite period, notwithstanding its high degree of density. It is well known that ordinary white syrup containing 65 per cent. or more of sugar crystallizes and forms granular deposits, and when used for preserving fruits often "candies" to such a degree that the preserves have to be recooked to restore the desired smoothness and fluidity. The artificial fruit sugar, on the contrary, remains smooth and fluid under all conditions.

But the quality which chiefly determines its commercial value is its great power to assimilate, develop and preserve the natural aromatic flavor of the fruit to which it is applied as a preserving material. Confectioners, fruit packers and skilled housekeepers who have tested it quite extensively during the past year in the preservation of cherries, strawberries, peaches and various other fruits, pronounce it far superior for such purposes to any other form of sugar, and cite among its other advantages that it is always ready for use, and eliminates wholly from the factory all incidental processes of dissolving and refining the syrup.

My Little One Was Near Death.

A Port Williams Mother Speaks of Lactated Food.

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If you are not using Lactated Food, mother, your child's life is in danger.

PHYSICAL CULTURE.

Its Importance as Great as Culture of the Mind.

The education of the physical has, during the past few years, come to have a recognized place in both the home and school training, and educators in all departments from the kindergarten to the college fully recognize the necessity for mental and physical development to go hand in hand. Hence the introduction of physical culture into schools, where, from the very beginning, the child is taught that the first necessity is to develop the body in a way that it will assist in the cultivation of the mind.

The various systems which have been used are modified and adapted for use in the school and home. The heavy appliances formerly used in the gymnasium are displaced by the lighter apparatus and other appliances suitable for women and children. The theories of Francis Delsarte have modified the older theories, and while the Delsartean exercises are the embodiment of ease and grace they are scarcely sufficient to produce muscular power. These exercises are excellent as a preliminary training to lead to the use of more difficult gymnastics and the use of wands, dumb bells, Indian clubs, horizontal bars, vertical ropes and fencing. The Delsartean methodshould go hand in hand with elocution and dancing, and it should, in fact, be the foundation of these studies.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

A Few Short Thoughts Worth Pondering Over.

The voice of the majority is no proof of justice.

We never desire ardently what we desire rationally.

Civility costs nothing and buys everything.

He who has not a good memory should never take upon him the sin of lying.

Honesty is the best policy, but he who acts upon this principle is not an honest man.

We cannot conquer fate and necessity, yet we can yield to them in such a manner as to be greater than if we could.

The Sunday is the code of our civilization, dedicated to thought and reverence. It invites to the noblest solitude and to the noblest society.

Some people can neither stir hand nor foot without making it clear that they are thinking of themselves and laying little traps for approbation.

Poverty is hard, but debt is horrible. A man might as well have a smoky house and a scolding wife, which are said to be the two worst evils of our life.

Whether Pasteur and Koch's peculiar modes of treatment will ultimately prevail or not, their theory of blood contamination is the correct one, though not original. It was on this theory that Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass., nearly fifty years ago, formulated Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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Sealed tenders will be received for supplying the above institution for twelve months, from the 1st of August, 1894, to the 30th of June, 1895, for the following articles to be delivered free: Meat, Vegetables, Bread, Milk, Drugs and Medical Appliances, Groceries and Wood.

Tenders to be sent to the secretary on or before the 20th day of July, 1894. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Forms of tender can be obtained on application to the secretary.

H. M. YATES, Secretary.
Bastion Street.
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NOTICE.

The Semi-Annual General Meeting of the Members of the Vancouver Island Building Society will be held in Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Friday, the 20th instant, at 8 o'clock p.m.

BUSINESS:

Receiving the financial statements of the Secretary and Treasurer, the dispatch of such business as may come before the meeting and conducting the 75th Drawing for an Appropriation. See that your shares are not in arrears.

By order,

B. WILLIAMS, Secretary

City of Victoria, British Columbia

TENDER FOR DEBENTURES.

Sealed tenders endorsed "Tenders for Debentures" will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 4 p.m., on the 1st day of August, 1894, for the purchase of debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B. C., amounting to $100,000, or its sterling equivalent at the rate of $4.86 2-3 to the one pound sterling, in sums of $1,000, or its sterling equivalent as aforesaid, payable in fifty years from the 1st of August, 1894, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum, payable half yearly with principal and interest payable as aforesaid at the office of the Bank of British North America either in London, England; New York, U. S. A., or Montreal, Canada.

The Corporation reserves to itself the right to redeem and purchase these debentures on paying the amount thereof and the interest due thereon at the date of such purchase to the holder or holders thereof, at any time after twenty-five years form the date of issuance of such debentures.

The tenderer must state the price net at Victoria which he will pay.

In addition to the net price the purchaser will have to pay the Corporation the interest at four and one-half per cent. from the 1st of August, 1894, to whatever date the money is received by the City Treasurer.

The above debentures are issued under authority of "The Sewerage Loan By-law, 1894," with principal and interest secured by a rate on all ratable land and improvements in the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's office, Victoria, B. C., June 8th, 1894.

City of Victoria, British Columbia

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Donald Urquhart, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to or having claims against the above estate are to make payment to or application for payment as the case may be to the undersigned.

Dated 16th June, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
48 Langley Street, Victoria.
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart the executor.
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THE THOUSAND ISLANDS.

Not long since the Dominion government caused a good deal of indignation by proposing to sell the Canadian part of the Thousand Islands, and it was generally supposed that the outcry had been effectual in stopping the transaction. The proposal has been revived, however, in defiance of the emphatic disapproval of the public. The strongest condemnation we have seen comes from that rigorous Conservative paper the Hamilton Spectator, whose criticism is so instructive that it seems well to give it entire. It is as follows:

The government has decided to sell six or seven hundred of the Canadian share of the Thousand Islands in the St. Lawrence. A handsome pamphlet showing the location of the doomed islands, and giving the upset price, has been scattered abroad, and the pamphlet contains statements which are calculated to induce Americans to become purchasers. The government is quite aware of the fact that the sale of these islands will be an unpopular move. The press of Canada, of Ontario, at least—has been practically unanimous in asserting that the St. Lawrence islands should be kept by the government as a public park. But the riverside constituents of Mr. Taylor, M. P., demand that the islands shall be populated by wealthy Yanks, who will live in sky blue houses, with pink roofs, yellow verandahs, green shutters and red chimneys set in the midst of clean shaven lawns, having flower beds laid out with geometrical precision and interspersed with evergreen trees whittled into stiff and unnatural shapes. The object of this insistence on the part of Mr. Taylor's riverside constituents is that they may be able to turn an honest penny in trafficking in butter, eggs and garden sass with the American proprietors of the Canadian islands.

Of course business is business, and Mr. Taylor's constituents are quite right in demanding that they shall be provided with customers for their produce. But from the point of view of the public it is much as if the city of Hamilton were to give up Gore park to some wealthy alien as a site for a residence, that the shopkeepers in the vicinity might sell him goods. It is highly desirable, of course, that the services of Mr. Taylor should be retained as a supporter of the government in the house; but it is a little odd that the government should secure one man's re-election by alienating the Thousand Islands and secure the defeat of a dozen or more by insisting upon the ratification of the French treaty.

When the last island has been sold to some Yank, and the Canadian people find themselves unable, without danger of being prosecuted for trespass, to set foot upon the meanest of the rocks in the St. Lawrence, it will probably dawn upon the government that it paid a very high price for the safety of Mr. Taylor's seat.

The reader will observe that the Spectator incidentally gives the government a very poor certificate of character when it points to the government's readiness to sacrifice the general good in the interest of one supporter. That feature of the criticism, however, does not weaken it in any degree. The only weakness, so far as we can see, lies in the fact that the Spectator did not make its objection more general. It makes little difference to the public whether the purchasers are to be "Yanks" or Britishers" so long as they are private individuals who will have the power to keep the people off what should be the people's property.

ROYAL COMMISSION.

Some of the aldermen who voted for the appointment of a royal commission last evening seemed bent on creating the impression that the Times had accused them of being influenced by bribes to vote for the selection of the Nuttall site. As we have said before, we are at a loss to know how they can twist our remarks to this end. The Times has not said, and has no reason for saying, that any of the aldermen had received or was to receive any part of the money to be paid for the property in question. But in saying this we do not withdraw any remark we have made on the subject. The proposed transaction bears on its face all the appearance of a job, but jobbery and bribery have not necessarily any connection, as any man who understands plain English can see for himself. The Times has been led to understand largely by Ald. Wilson himself—that the city already possessed property suitable for a site for the electric light station, and it is naturally quite unable to understand why other property should be purchased if that is the case. If jobbery was not at the bottom of this, what was? Of course, if we have been misinformed in regard to this phase of the affair, the case is so far altered; but if we come then to the decision as between the Nuttall and the Spohr sites, what do we find? That when the vote was taken Ald. Wilson actually had in his pocket a letter from Mr. Spohr correcting the statement as to the price of his lots, yet Ald. Wilson allowed the council to vote in ignorance of that correction. He subsequently excused himself by saying that he did not know the letter was addressed to the mayor and council, though it turns out that he wrote the letter at Mr. Spohr's dictation, and wrote the address too. We should like to have Ald. Wilson's candid opinion of his own conduct in that matter. Manifestly he owes the public some further information than that he has given. True, he is represented as dragging the mayor into the tangle last evening by stating that he showed the letter to that gentleman, who agreed with him that it should not be submitted to the council. It appears to us that Ald. Wilson has made matters worse for the mayor without making them better for himself, and has contrived to make it necessary that the mayor should also offer an explanation.

It is rather odd that though aldermen are so tender about reflections on their own conduct they do not hesitate to blacken the reputations of other aldermen if they can. Mr. Ledingham distinctly offended in this respect, making an attempt to fasten a job on Ald. Munn in connection with the Williams lot. Supposing that he could have shown Ald. Munn in the wrong, how would that have affected the purchase of the Nuttall property?

The resolution asking for the appointment of a royal commission calls upon the commission to "report the result of the inquiry to this board." If the lieut.-governor in council issues a commission the commissioner must necessarily report to him, and therefore this clause in the resolution looks rather out of place.

A good many people have expressed the opinion that the mayor should send the electric site resolution back to the council for reconsideration. This must be done within a month of its passage, and as the month will expire on the 20th inst., the mayor will have little time to lose if he decides to take the action asked for.

THE CAR ACCIDENT.

To the Editor,—In your issue of yesterday a number of inaccuracies occur in your report anent Jones vs. Tramway Co., whether designedly or not I cannot say, but if compiled by your reporter he should have been sufficiently alive to the public interest to give a more lucid and truthful synopsis of the case on its merits, and the citizens of Victoria would be enabled to judge of the admirable service supplied by the "Street Railway company."

Your report accounts for the "accident" through the going out of lights in Car No. 7, a headlight having been substituted. This is a portion of the truth only. The light circuit of the car had been defective the day previous, and was not in operation during the foggy evening of December 16th. It was, however, thought advisable by a director of the street railway company to have a conductor borrow a headlight from another car to give eclat in collecting fares, a few nickels being considered of more importance than the safety of the travelling public.

Of course, the noise of the car gears would drown any gong that was ever employed by a street railway company; but in this case, the gong was also defective, or out of order.

In addition to this careless supervision of the cars and apparatus, a car running from Esquimalt was ordered up town off its schedule, the official in charge evidently knowing that it would meet the car from Fort street, which had the right-of-way down to the power house. These two cars, therefore, in trying to make up lost time, collided. It was a combination of carelessness that caused an "accident." A farcial investigation whitewashed everyone except the conductor and motorneer of the car which had the right-of-way, who were made the scape goats.

A word as to my being regarded as a "Jonah." Using the term as much as I was obliged to do in my business, it would be natural to suppose that I should witness any mishap along the line, and I happened to be present at the not unfrequent derailments, etc., but only once previous to my unfortunate injury was I on a car when an "accident" occurred, and this was also caused by carelessness on the part of the officials supervising the concern. I might also state that there must be some other person who acts the Jonah, judging from the serious complications likely to arise over an "accident" which occurred on the Douglas street grade, at a point where already there have been two fatalities; none of them happened while I was in the vicinity. Thanking you for the space which I have taken.

Yours truly,
JOHN JONES.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The News of Eastern Canada in Short Paragraphs.

Kelly's Sunday cars were stopped by the police in Toronto.

Joseph Cook, a Portage la Prairie farmer, was drowned while bathing.

Albert Walker was drowned from the steamer Owen Sound at Port Dover.

John Cox, a yard engineer of the Grand Trunk in London sat down on the rails and was run over by a shunting engine which approached unperceived.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of R. Hatchell, pastor of the colored Baptist church, Hamilton, on a charge of bigamy.

The cooperage mills of Essex, Kent and Lambton have closed down for a month for want of business and 1200 men are out.

Fire in Hamilton badly damaged the fine residence of Charles E. Newberry and destroyed the furniture. Three other dwellings in the vicinity were burned and two badly damaged. Loss, $12,000; insured.

Cornelius C. Toomey, one of the pioneers of the Red River Valley, who built and conducted hotels in Winnipeg and other northwestern points, died at his home in St. Paul.

Joseph Alexander, secretary of the anti-opium society of England, is in Toronto on his way home from an extended trip of inquiry into the opium question in connection with the British government commission.

A report comes from Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., that owing to defective work two 60 feet strips in the new Canadian "Soo" Canal will have to be torn out and rebuilt, which will delay the opening of the canal for about six weeks.

BANQUETS 200 YEARS AGO.

Strange Castles, Ships and Pies of Live Frogs and Birds.

In the reign of Queen Anne milk was produced from cows kept in London, and was carried around by milkmaids, who chalked their charges upon the doors. Milch asses also went around, as their milk was greatly liked and believed to possess medicinal qualities. Its price was three shillings to sixpence a quart.

In the 17th century English cookery began to improve. Travel increased, and returning tourists brought with them foreign recipes and so helped to establish the fame of foreign cookery, resulting in the employment of French and Italian cooks. For a time a considerable amount of prejudice existed against this foreign invasion, which in time, however, died out.

Some of the dishes and recipes of olden times are curiosities indeed; show dishes were deemed indispensable on grand occasions, and distinguished chefs vied with each other in the production of surprising combinations.

In a cook book published in 1660 the author gives a description of what he terms "a triump of cookery."

The likeness of a ship is to be made in pasteboard with flags and streamers, with guns charged with trains of powder. This ship is to be placed in a great dish with salt all around to represent the ocean, and in this salt are to be stuck egg shells full of sweet water.

In another dish is to be made a stag in coarse paste, with a broad arrow in its side and his body filled up with claret wine.

You are still to have another dish, and in this there is to be a castle with battlements, portcullises, gates and drawbridges of pasteboard, the guns made of keckses, as in the case of the guns of the ship. The castle is to be surrounded with salt to represent the water in the moat, stuck with egg shells full of rosewater.

On each side of the stag there is to be a pie filled, one with live frogs, the other with live birds, and the ship, castle and pies are to be gilded and further adorned with gilt bay leaves.

All now being placed in order upon the table the ladies are to be induced to pull the arrow out of the wounded stag, when the wine will follow as if it was the animal's blood; and this being done to the evident admiration of the beholders, the train of gunpowder leading to the guns of the castle is to be fired, and these guns are to be answered by those of the ship, as in the case of the battle.

And now the ladies, in order to "sweeten the smell of the powder," are to take the egg shells full of sweet waters and throw them at each other, and as by this time all danger is over there will be a curiosity to see what the pies contain, and, "lifting off the lid of one, out skips the frogs, which makes the ladies, too, skip and shriek; next after the other pie, whence come out the birds."

The birds fly high and put out the candles, and, all being in the dark, a romp commences, which "gives delight and pleasure to the whole company."—Boston Herald.

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—The members of Perseverance lodge, No. 1, I. O. G. T., will join in a picnic at Curtis' Point this evening.

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—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra calf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—The ladies' aid of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, will give a raspberry social on Monday next. There will be a musical programme.

—The funeral of Mrs. J. C. Davie will take place to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock from "Fairholme," Belcher street, and services will be held at Christ church cathedral half an hour later.

—Captain Smalfield is not in camp at Work Point with his boys of No. 3 company, B. C. B. G. A., being unwell, and he is greatly missed. The camp is in command of Lieut. Pearse and Lieut. Gregory is the next ranking officer. The boys turn out at daylight for drill.

—The British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association and the Dairymen's Association of British Columbia, are to hold meetings at Agassiz on August 10 and 11. The leading members of each will be present and there will be several excellent papers read and interesting topics discussed. The C. P. R. has given reduced rates for the occ.

—The following officers of Court Vancouver, A. O. F., were installed last evening: George Partridge, P. C. R.; J. R. Collister, C. R.; H. Maynard, S. C. R.; H. Waller, treasurer; A. Wilson, secretary; F. P. Watson, S. W.; E. Harper, J. W.; P. J. Davies, S. B.; R. Godslyn, J. B.; and Dr. Crompton, surgeon. A social followed the installation.

—At Temperance Hall, Pandora street, to-morrow evening, Fidelity Juvenile Temple, No. 25, I. O. G. T., will give an ice cream social and entertainment. The programme of the latter will be as follows: Piano solo, Mr. Burnett; song (comic), Mr. McDonald; club swinging, Miss Winnie Creech; duet, the Misses Bowyer; recitation, Miss L. Kettle; selection, Prof. Wickens' orchestra; song, Miss Honor; recitation, Miss Stratton; song, Mr. Moody; piano duet, Miss M. Duncan and Miss G. Collis.

—The steamship Warrimoo had the following cabin passengers: Mr. C. G. Ballentyne, Victoria; Dr. Brodie, Honolulu; Mr. Elphinstone and Miss Elphinstone, London; Joseph Fuller, Honolulu; T. H. Goodmanson, Chicago; C. H. Gardiner and E. Carr Horden, London; Lieutenant Marchant and wife, London; D. W. Mein, Mrs. P. W. Mein and Mrs. Mein, London; Mrs. Milne, Glasgow; Mr. Stewart, Vancouver; Mrs. Rothwell and two children, Seattle; Dr. and Mrs. Wilkinson, Boston; Miss Wright, Minneapolis, and Fred Jameson, Victoria.

—The cabin passengers who leave by the steamer Umatilla for San Francisco this evening are: Mrs. Rogers, the Misses Rogers, C. A. Wetmore, S. C. Farnham, E. M. Farnham, Mrs. Wender, Mrs. E. Farnham and daughter, Miss Birkenhead, Mrs. Douglas, H. W. Peters, H. C. Morris, J. R. Kerr, Mrs. J. B. Smith, Mrs. N. F. Smith, Miss L. M. Smith, H. K. Macomber, A. M. Bemmerly, Mrs. M. E. Berkhardt and daughter, Mrs. C. R. Carter and children, F. Proscowitz, M. Van Proscowitz, W. F. Pym, C. J. Sheppard, F. J. Dennis, Messrs. Bennett, Gutsch, Wood and Harold.

—Acme lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., installed the following officers last evening: N. G., M. Henderson; V. G., David Henry; R. S., William McKenzie; P. S., T. Tubman; Treasurer, Robert Ray; Con., Andrew Sheret; Warden, W. H. Handley; R. S. N. G., Graham Campbell; L. S. N. G., Eli Hallet; R. S. S., Thomas S. Moody; L. S. S., R. L. Ledingham; I. G., Alfred Virtue; O. G., James Robertson; R. S. V. G., William Carse; and L. S. V. G., John Clayton. After the ceremony the retiring noble grand was presented with a past grand's regalia in recognition of efficient service for 14 months.

—The Empress of China sailed for the Orient at an early hour this morning. She was delayed at Vancouver awaiting the arrival of the Pacific express and did not get down until nearly midnight. She carried away a fair cargo and the following passengers: Mrs. M. Baxter, London; Captain W. Crawford, Yokohama; Miss S. E. Easter, Baltimore; Chas. Holland Freeman, England; J. C. Faries, Minneapolis; Bishop Galloway, Detroit; Miss Gertrude Howe, Lansing, Mich.; R. Krishna, Allahabad, India; K. P. Lee, New York; C. P. Nebl; K. Matsugata, Tokio; Dr. and Mrs. McCandliss and two children, New York; Miss C. C. Murray, London; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Payne, Kobe; F. Salinger, Canton; Miss E. R. Scidmore, Washington; Miss Todzu Sugiye, Japan; A. J. de Silva e Souza, Peru; Rev. J. and Mrs. Stockmeyer, Switzerland; D. W. T. Tuckey, Tientsin; J. Tulloch, Shanghai; W. B. Van Ingen, New York; W. J. Van Patten, Burlington, Vermont; Charles S. Van Patten, Burlington, Vermont; Rev. W. W. Wadsworth, Detroit; Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Wainwright and infant, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Whittier, Boston.

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—The B. C. B. G. A. band has been engaged for the I. O. O. F. excursion to Seattle on Saturday, July 28th. •

—It is understood that the E. & N. railway company intend to utilize electricity for operating the swing bridge.

—It is expected that there will be a very large attendance at the social and concert at Institute hall on Wednesday night under the auspices of the ladies of the congregation of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral. There will be a novel programme and an ample supply of refreshments.

—Miss Effie Elaine Hext, the celebrated elocutionist of Eastern Canada, will appear in the city under the auspices of the First Presbyterian church choir on Tuesday evening, July 31st. All along the line wherever this talented lady has appeared, crowded houses have greeted her and supported as she will be on this occasion by the best talent in the city a large audience is expected to be present.

—Henry C. Shaw, of Vancouver, and Miss Dora Laird, of Prince Edward Island, were married last evening at the home of Henry Lawson, editor of the Colonist, 76 Cook street. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. W. L. Clay and Mr. Lawson gave the bride away. The bridesmaids were Miss Ellen G. Lawson and Miss Nora Hayden of Vancouver, and George Robson supported the groom. The ceremony was performed in the parlor, which was nicely decorated. The bride is the daughter of Hon. Alexander Liard and niece of ex-Lieutenant-Governor Laid of the Territories. Mr. Shaw is a member of the legal firm of McPhillips and Williams, and with his bride will make his home in Vancouver.

Capt. McAllep, of the schooner Corona, which has arrived in the Sound from Unga, Alaska, says all of the sealers are now satisfied and that spearing is humane, because the Indian gets every one he spears, while the white hunter only gets one seal out of every seven he kills. The latter statement is untrue. The hunter who would lose 1 in 7, instead of 6 in 7, as stated, is a very poor shot and boatman. As to being satisfied, the Victoria sealers will feel a little more so when the United States comes to the front and pays them for illegal seizures and depriving them of their rights. See findings of facts in the award of the Paris tribunal, which is the only part not rushed into immediate and snap-shot effect.

—The programme of the concert to be given by the B. C. B. G. A. band at the Mount Baker hotel on Wednesday evening at 8:15 o'clock, is as follows: March—"My Own Canadian Home," McLaughlin; overture—"Eriani," Verdi; grand selection from Harrigan & Hart's celebrated play "Squatter Sovereignty," introducing "The McIntyres," "The Maguires," "Widow Nolan's Goat," "Miss Brady's Piano Fortay," "The Forlorn Old Maid" and "Paddy Duffy's Cart"; waltz—"Ninetta," Bennett; solo for cornet—"Culver Polka," Steinhauser; Walter North, soloist; characteristique Dance, Hermann; Polka—"The Anvil," Parlow, with imitation of anvils; selection of Scotch melodies, arranged by Reeves; "God Save the Queen." J. M. [illegible]

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Peter McGregor took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of A. McGregor, Terrace avenue. Simple services were conducted at the house and a couple of hymns were rendered. The singing was led by J. G. Brown and Prof. W. E. Buck. The pall bearers were Messrs. Morphy, McIntyre, Farquhar, Carley, Bodley and McGregor. The deceased was a woman of remarkable vitality until a year or two ago, when an accident brought on the illness from which she never fully recovered. With her husband she was a pioneer of the county of Lanark, Ont., and endured all the hardships of the early settler. She was the first of four generations of the family now residing in Victoria.

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was presented with a gold watch and chain by the government of the United States. He is described as a man of gigantic stature, tatooed from short ribs to knees, pleasant and agreeable in disposition and with a little knowledge of the English language. He and the other South Sea islanders belong to the South Sea Island Exhibition company, and they come to our shores not so much for the salaries they get as for the opportunity they have of seeing the white man's country and learning a little of his language. At the time of the hurricane most of the sailors who were washed overboard from the Vandalia were swept in towards the beach, then whirled along parallel to it by a powerful current, and as they met the waters of the swollen Valsigano river they were driven to sea and drowned. Laulu and his friends stationed themselves along the beach, and when the smallest chance offered they would jump into the tide and fasten a line to one of the unfortunates, who would be hauled ashore. During their exertions on the 17th of March one of their own party was drowned, being too exhausted to make his way ashore. This company have just concluded a most successful engagement at Seattle. Being unable to get through to Portland in time they have concluded to spend a few days in Victoria and Vancouver. The girls, some ten in number, are said to be very comely in appearance. The whole entertainment is spoken of in the highest terms by all who have seen it, the dancing and singing being entirely new in its way and very attractive and free from any immodest act.

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Law Intelligence.

The admiralty case of the steamer Vancouver vs. the steamer Yosemite, was finished yesterday and judgment reserved. The evidence is very contradictory. Before Justices Crease and McCreight argument was resumed to-day by Mr. McPhillips for the plaintiffs in the mechanics' lien action brought by Larson & Co., against the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway company and others.

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WILL HAVE AN ENQUIRY.

Ald. Wilson's Motion for the Appointment of a Royal Commission Adopted.

Mayor Charges That the Water System is Being Tampered With.

There were a couple of sensations at last evening's meeting of the council, at which the whole board with the exception of Ald. Styles were present. The first sensation was Ald. Wilson's motion for the appointment of a royal commission to inquire into the electric light matter. Then Mayor Teague made the startling remark that the city's water system was being tampered with.

The following letter from C. H. Stickles, the city's electrician, was laid on the table:

Victoria, July 13, 1894.

Gentlemen:—In reference to the matter of burning refuse and garbage and erecting a crematory in connection with the electrical works for the city—I have carefully gone over the matter with Mr. Cartmel, and after giving it my most careful consideration I have come to the conclusion that it would not be policy for the city to attempt to combine the crematory and electric light Mr. Cartmel's process of disposing of garbage and other refuse is partly original with himself, and up to date has never been put in operation either experimentally or otherwise in any city or town. The consequence is that its usefulness is still to be demonstrated. Mr. Cartmel's furnaces for burning garbage, refuse, etc., are to a certain extent an adaptation of the smokeless furnace. There have been during the past twenty years a great number of patents issued for smokeless furnaces, of which but very few have been even moderately successful. In view of the above I think it would be better for the city to locate the crematory apart from the electric works and thus avoid possible complications that might arise from combining the two.

(Signed.) C. H. STICKLES.

P. A. Paulson, of the Sayward Mill Co., wrote drawing the attention of the council to the company's proposition submitted some time ago and offering to erect a one story brick building.

Ald. Humphrey thought the proposition was worthy of consideration and he suggested that the matter be submitted to a committee of the council.

Ald. Dwyer also considered the proposition worthy of consideration.

Ald. Vigelius was of the opinion that the council would have to rescind its motion to purchase a site before considering another proposition.

The motion was referred to a committee.

C. Bossi offered a site on Store street and the water front for electric light purposes for $12,000. Referred to a committee.

W. C. Pope, through Belyea & Gregory, wrote asking for the payment of the balance of his wages, $45 for three months, and threatening to sue if it was not paid.

Ald. Wilson explained that $15 a month extra was voted for extra work that Mr. Pope had not done. He had never been notified that he was to receive extra remuneration.

Referred to the finance committee and the city barristers.

Eberts & Taylor, the city barristers, asked a conference with a city official respecting the Minckler claim. Referred to the mayor.

Drake, Jackson & Helmcken wrote asking for the completion of the conveyance of a piece of property adjoining the cemetery from the Synod of Vancouver Island to the city. The barristers will be notified that any time during office hours would be convenient.

E. A. Wilmot reported on a number of minor items for improvements referred to him. Referred to the street committee.

Tenders were received as follows for tenders to fire department hall No. 1: Hales & Bell, $700; G. Glover, $710; M. C. Mayo, $597; City Plumbing Co., for plumbing only, $125; McGregor & Jeeves, $675; W. Haney, $674; J. Maukwell, $690. Awarded to M. C. Mayo.

Ald. Wilson moved, seconded by Ald. Harris, the motion for a royal commission to inquire into the electric light site question.

Ald. Wilson said he wished to point out some of the serious charges made in the public prints against certain aldermen. The matter was one that could not be dealt with in a flippant manner. He had taken the trouble to point out to the Times wherein they erred, but they did not see fit to withdraw what they said, but persisted in it. He hoped the motion would pass. The question as to whether the site was a good one or a bad one he would not discuss. He was glad to say that he felt that he had done what was right. In fact, everybody he had spoken to endorsed the site. In reference to the Spohr lots, he said Mr. Spohr had called on him and told him that he did not know an agent had asked $5000 for his lots, which he would sell to the city for $2850. He (Ald. Wilson) had taken down in writing what Mr. Spohr had said. This matter he had shown to the mayor before the site was selected, and they had decided that it would be better to hold it in abeyance to see what would be done. The question in reference to the purchase of the wire should be included in the scope of the resolution. The Times had taken a curious course in allowing correspondents, over nom de plumes, to attack individual aldermen, making serious charges against them. It was a cowardly attack—a stab in the back—and it was unfair in the paper to allow it to be done. He had tried to explain the matter in the press, but he had found that it was useless to try and fight a newspaper. He would have no objections to extending the scope of the resolution so as to have everything done by the council investigated. There had been something said about a $54,000 contract for sewer pipes, but he knew nothing about that. Some people seemed to think that it was a very light matter to be accused of being connected with a "job," but it was to his mind a serious matter.

Ald. Munn agreed with Ald. Wilson that the charges should be either substantiated or withdrawn. When the question of the selection of a site first came up he suggested that the aldermen should view the sites they considered most suitable and have the mayor bond them at the lowest possible figure. He said at the time that it would be a farce to call for tenders, and he believed that other aldermen would now agree with him. Ald. Wilson had said that he had kept the Spohr letter in his pocket to wait for further developments. They all knew what those further developments were. The alderman who was so particular about his own character, kept that letter in his pocket as a trap for another alderman, but he had fallen head over heels into the trap set for his enemy.

Ald. Humphrey said what he understood by a royal commission was something to whitewash somebody who had done something wrong. He did not know of any member of the council who had done anything wrong. The alderman who had brought the matter up had been advised to do so to stop the work.

Ald. Wilson denied that he had been advised by anybody.

Ald. Humphrey said he had just said what he thought, and he considered that he was entitled to his opinion. The only thing he knew of to be investigated was the fact that Ald. Wilson had carried a letter in his pocket, and he was willing to accept the alderman's explanation of that matter. He moved in amendment that in accordance with section 98a of the municipal act the mayor and a committee of three be appointed to investigate the purchase of wire and the electric light site.

Ald Vigelius would be quite willing that a royal commission should be appointed if it would not cost too much or prevent the work from being proceeded with. He did not think there was anything to be inquired into.

Ald. Dwyer's only objection to a royal commission was the cost. It would cost several thousand dollars to find out why an alderman voted for or against the electric light site. As far as he was concerned, he was willing that everything he had done since he had been elected should be investigated. It might seem queer that the aldermen should investigate their own actions, as suggested by Ald. Humphrey's amendment, which he had seconded, but that was provided for by section 98 of the municipal act. There would be no cost attached to such an investigation. He had opposed the site selected, and still opposed it, as he did not think that the council could afford the price asked for it. As to the wire, he saw by the accounts that last year the city had paid 7 cents more than they were paying at present. The matter could all be inquired into without an expensive royal commission.

Ald. Ledingham said it was not only what the papers had said about the transaction, but also what the aldermen had said about it. Ald. Munn had said that if he told all he knew it would cause a sensation. He should explain that remark. The same alderman had recommended to him a site that if selected would have cost the city $13,000. He contended that the letter carried by Ald. Wilson was that alderman's property and he could have carried it as long as he wished to. He defended the selection of the Nuttall site, contending that the difference in price could be saved by burning the garbage there.

Ald. Humphrey, in justice to Ald. Munn, who had been called from the meeting, explained that alderman's position respecting the $13,000 site mentioned by Ald. Ledingham. When the question of bonding several sites was under discussion he had asked Ald. Munn what sites he considered most suitable. Ald. Munn mentioned several, among them the Williams property at the foot of Johnson street. Ald. Munn said he thought the site could be purchased for the amount at which it was assessed, about $8000. When it was formally offered at $13,000 Ald. Munn distinctly stated that the city could not afford any such amount.

Ald. Baker had no doubt that all the aldermen had worked for the best interests of the city. He did not give the Times any credit for what they had published. If the resolution failed he thought the aldermen should take action against the Times. He for one would pay his share of the cost. All acknowledged that the site was a good one, the question was whether the city could afford the amount asked for it. He would vote for the resolution.

Ald. Vigelius—The motion and the amendment were the same, only one would be costly and the other not.

Ald. Humphrey—One point has been overlooked. In a letter to the Colonist Mr. Nuttall said he received the whole amount, less 5 per cent. commission. Previous to this Mr. Nuttall had taken the property out of the agent's hands and had lowered the price, allowing the city the amount that he would otherwise have paid an agent. He would like to know who got the 5 per cent. referred to in Mr. Nuttall's letter.

Ald. Wilson opposed the amendment. It would be nonsense for one part of the board to try the other members. What were a few paltry dollars when a man's character was at stake? Aldermen had been accused of stealing, and the matter should be investigated by men above reproach. It was a gross libel against the members of the board, and the matter should be followed up and the guilty parties placed where they belong. It was nonsense to say that a royal commission would whitewash anybody. The judges of the province were above that.

Ald. Humphrey—Can the work go on if the commission is appointed?

The Mayor—I do not see why the work should be interfered with.

Ald. Wilson said he intended to move that the matter be re-arranged and carried on on different lines.

Ald. Humphrey's amendment was put and lost on the following division:

Yeas—Ald. Humphrey, Dwyer and Vigelius.

Nays—Ald. Harris, Wilson, Ledingham and Baker.

The original motion was carried on the same division reversed.

The usual finance committee's reports, appropriating and recommending the payment of certain amounts, were received and adopted.

The Old Men's Home committee reported that Gilbert Brabant had been admitted to the home, the government paying $15 a month for his keep.

The street committee recommended that the plans for the terminus of the V. & S. railway be accepted. Other minor matters were dealt with in the report, which was adopted.

The water committee recommended that a committee of medical experts in conjunction with the public analyst investigate as to the effect on the public health of the city water and that $250 be voted for this purpose.

Ald. Wilson claimed to be somewhat of an analyst. The city water was clean. There might be some decaying vegetation in the lake but it was nothing like what had been put forth in a report recently circulated throughout the city. He moved in amendment that samples of the water be sent to Montreal where it could be properly analysed. There were no proper means here to make an analysis of water. There were a few druggists in the city who dabbled in it, but there were no experts.

Ald. Harris, of the water committee, said the report had been drawn up as it should be found out whether or not the water was as bad as had been made out. If it was only vegetable matter it was not as bad as animal matter. He had no objections to embodying Ald. Wilson's suggestions in the report.

Ald. Ledingham thought it would be as well to find out how the city of London purified the water they took from the Thames.

Mayor Teague said the $250 could be well spent in cleaning out the stove pipes used for the water main. He felt confident that the city's water works system was being tampered with.

Ald. Baker did not wonder that the water was bad. Not a single dollar had been spent to improve it during the three years that he was in the council. He did not believe it would cost as much as estimated by the engineer to carry the pipes through Beaver Lake to Elk Lake.

The report was adopted, Ald. Wilson's suggestion being embodied.

The board voted $654 for the settlement of the Steinberger claim.

In respect to the vacancy caused by the resignation of the police court clerk, Ald. Wilson said candidates for the position should be prepared to pass an examination. He moved that applications be called for and that the salary be $60 a month. The motion was adopted.

The following communications have been received and have been referred to the respective committees:

Electric Light—The General Electric Company, Portland, Oregon, quoting prices of different samples of copper wire.

Sewerage—Julius Teeporten, desiring sewage connection to his premises Carr street; Sydney Wilson, calling attention to an open drain nuisance on Michigan street between Birgeage Walk and Menzies street.

Streets—A. R. Milne, collector of customs, calling attention to the necessity of a more frequent sprinkling of Wharf street by the watering cart; and J. W. Elliott and 15 others, calling attention to the condition of Jessie street, Victoria West.

Water—M. Morrisey, desiring water supply to his premises, Oakland estate; Thomas Gravlin and three others, requesting water supply to their premises, Hulton street.

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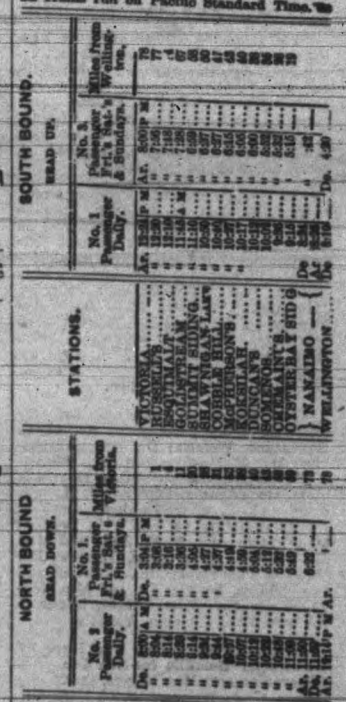

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FASHIONABLE WEDDING.

Marriage of Reginald Macdonald of Victoria to Miss Schofield in London.

The London (England) Court Journal contains an account of what it describes as one of the most picturesque weddings of the season. It took place on June 20 in St. Matthew's church, St. Petersburg place, the contracting parties being Mr. Reginald J. Macdonald, Royal Artillery, son of Senator Macdonald, of Armadale, Victoria, and Miss May Ainsworth Schofield, youngest daughter of Dr. Schofield, of Westbourne Terrace, Hyde Park. The church was very prettily decorated by a double row of lofty palms reaching the entire length of the centre aisle, which overarching above formed a sort of tropical avenue. The stems of the palms on each side were surrounded with tall arum lilies and banked with white flowers. The ceremony was fixed for 2.30, before which hour the church was well filled with the relations and friends of the bride and bridegroom, including a large contingent of the officers of the Royal Artillery from Woolwich and elsewhere.

Mr. Charles Phillips, R. A., acted as best man, supported by Mr. Alastair Douglas Macdonald. To the closing strains of the wedding march from Tannhauser the bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, and followed by her sister, Miss Olive Ainsworth Schofield, who walked alone as chief bridesmaid. Behind her came Miss Mary Gregory and Miss Jessie Scott-Reid (cousins of the bride and bridegroom respectively), followed by four child bridesmaids, Miss Flora Lindsey-Stewart, Miss Isabel Lindsey-Stewart, Miss Marion Schofield, Miss Iris Vaughan Jackson, also cousins of the bride and bridegroom.

The bride wore a very rich dress of duchesse satin of the shade of white known as oyster shell, the skirt being festooned with sprays of orange blossom and the bodice covered with chiffon, pearl trimming and old Honiton lace. A long train of the same plain satin, cut square, fell from the waist. A wreath of orange blossoms was arranged in the hair and covered with a long tulle veil that fell to the edge of the train. It was attached by a diamond spray, the gift of the bridegroom.

The elder bridesmaids had dresses of white corded silk, trimmed with apricot shot silk bows and rosettes, and a sash with long ends of the same. The four child bridesmaids were dressed in long smock frocks down to the ground of the same materials and trimmings. The hats were broad Panamas trimmed with rosettes of cream colored satin, fastened with paste pins, and white ostrich plumes.

The bride carried a superb shower bouquet of orchids, gardenias, tuberoses, clematis, lilies and white rosebuds; and the three elder bridesmaids had similar smaller bouquets; while the four child bridesmaids each carried a cluster of tall arum lilies tied, as were the bouquets, with ribbon of the Macdonald tartan. The bridesmaids wore gold brooches with pearl and chrysoprase pendants, the gift of the bridegroom.

On arriving at the chancel the hymn, "The voice that breathed o'er Eden," was sung and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. C. Stuart, vicar of the church, assisted by the Rev. James Consterdine, cousin of the bride and vicar of Christ Church, Little Heath, Herts. The service concluded with, "O perfect love, all human thought transcending," which was sung by the whole congregation kneeling. Dr. and Mrs. Schofield afterwards received guests at their house in Westbourne Terrace, Hyde Park.

The list of invited guests included H. R. H. the Duchess of Albany, the Countess of Aberdeen, the Earl and Countess of Limerick, the Count and Countess Bentinck, Count Charles Bentinck, Countess Renira Bentinck, Rev. Dr. Mackenzie, Mrs. and the Misses Mackenzie, Mrs. Tolmie, Miss Tolmie, Miss Macdonald, Gen., Mrs. and Misses Lawrie, the officers Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Major and Mrs. Abdy, Mr. C. C. Van Straubenzie, Captain W. Lambert, R.A., Hon. W. Sclater Booth, R. A., Captain C. W. M. Lane, R. A., C. C. Todd, Sir Charles and Lady Tupper, Mr. and Mrs. Beeton, Mr. Stavely Hill, M. P., and Mrs. Stavely Hill, etc.

The handsome wedding cake was a most graceful production, covered with an artistic shower of orchids, gardenias and other flowers.

The bride and bridegroom left shortly before 5 o'clock for the Western Highlands to spend the honeymoon. The bride's travelling dress was of handsome mushroom colored crepon, the bodice of the same with yoke sleeves of blue silk, covered with guipure point lace. The large black straw hat was covered with feathers and pink flowers.

Among the long list of rich and costly gifts, H. R. H. the Duchess of Albany presented the bride with a silver topped smelling salts bottle engraved—"From H. R. H. the Duchess of Albany, 20th June, 1894."

PITCH LAKE.

Trinidad's Natural Wonder as Seen by a Scientist.

At a meeting of the Academy of Science last evening Adelbert Cronise read a paper describing the peculiarities of that famous and mysterious creation from the laboratory of nature, Pitch Lake, on the Island of Trinidad. Mr. Cronise gave the results of personal investigation of the subject during a recent visit to the Island.

The Pitch Lake of Trinidad is not only a great natural curiosity, but as the source of our Trinidad asphalt it is a place of scientific interest.

A sail of sixteen days from New York on a course considerably east of south, took us to the Island of Trinidad. I hesitate to offend the intelligence of my readers by saying where Trinidad is, but as one or two friends have confessed an uncertainty as to its exact location, I may be permitted to say that it is the most southerly of that group of the West Indies which we call the Windward Islands, lying within 11 degrees of the Equator and in the longitude of the eastern part of Nova Scotia, or 15 degrees east from Washington. The island is separated from South America by the Gulf of Paria, and La Brea, the point at which we land to reach the Pitch Lake, is on the west side of the island opposite the easterly coast of Venezuela. From La Brea a walk of a mile over a made asphalt road through jungle and forest leads up to the lake, which is 138 feet above the sea, the land sloping to it from three sides.

The lake is of irregular shape, approximately round, and has an area of 109 acres as determined by the government survey. The level of the lake is a number of feet higher than the level of the ground immediately around it—being lifted by the pressure below. The surface is solid to a depth of several feet, except in a few small spots in the centre of the lake, where it remains in a semi-liquid condition, but not hot or boiling as often described.

Although approximately level, being a few inches highest in the centre, the surface is far from smooth, being marked by many fissures and slightly depressed spots which are filled with rain water. In going about one has to pick his way among the large puddles and jump many of the small connecting streams. Each of the hundreds of irregular portions separated by this network of fissures is claimed to have a slow revolving motion upon a horizontal axis at right angles to a line to the centre of the lake, the motion of the surface being from the centre towards the circumference. Such a motion would account for the roots, leaves and bits of wood of comparatively recent vegetation, which are constantly being brought to the surface. The motion is claimed to be caused by the great daily change in temperature, often from 60 degrees at night to 140 degrees in the day, or 80 degrees change, and an unequal upward motion of the mass from below, increasing towards the centre of the lake. Scattered about are a few patches of shallow earth, covered with bushes and small trees.

The pitch is of a brownish-black color and hard to the touch. Even in the hot sun of the tropics it is brittle, so that a pick struck into it will break out little pieces of several cubic feet in size. Although brittle it is porous and light, so that one man lifts the large pieces into the carts without assistance. After digging down to a depth of three or four feet the pitch is found somewhat softer, and elastic rather than brittle, and the pit is then left to fill up again. Within a day or two the pressure from below will have raised up the elastic bottom of the pit to the level of the surface about, but as it is hardened by exposure to the air this lifting is checked and the surface remains nearly level. In this way probably over half a million tons have been taken out within a small area near the margin without lowering its level.

The origin of this never-failing supply of pitch is not certainly known. The vegetable, animal, mineral, and volcanic theories have been much discussed. The nearest that can be said is that it is from the decomposition of vegetable, or vegetable and animal matter.

The Pitch Lake is the property of the government of Trinidad. Until a few years ago licenses were given to various parties to take asphalt from the lake. These different parties, being in competition with one another, decided to combine and secure, if possible, exclusive rights of the lake. As the licenses were not exclusive they brought little revenue to the government, and the export duty of 20 cents per ton brought little more.

The licensees proposed to the government that if they could have the exclusive right to take asphalt from the lake for a term of years they would guarantee $36,000 a year and pay 40 cents a ton for the asphalt taken, and would submit to an export duty of $1.20 a ton. The object of proposing an increased duty was to deter the competition of those who were mining "land asphalt" in the Island. The proposition was accepted. The trustees, many of whom were English, organized as "The Trinidad Asphalt Company," a corporation under the laws of New Jersey, with their principal office at Port of Spain, Trinidad. A contract according to the proposed terms was then made by the government of Trinidad and the company for 21 years. In 1893 the government received a revenue of about $150,000 from the lake.

In addition to the 40 cents a ton for the pitch and $1.20 a ton export duty, the cost of digging the pitch, carting it to the pier at La Brea, and loading it on the steamer is about $1.50 a ton, or in all $3.10 a ton on board.

The pitch sent to the United States is shipped in bulk as it is dug from the lake. In the hold of the vessel the pitch softens with the heat and the pieces coalesce into a semi-fluid mass. On reaching the north the mass becomes hard and has to be broken out with picks as when first taken from the lake. In some cases [illegible] age the mass has become so soft as to list to leeward, and the vessels being unable to right themselves have been wrecked. —Rochester Herald.

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In North Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In Central Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and

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If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore specified there shall be charged fifty cents additional for each infraction.

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City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 15th, 1894.

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By order of the Council.

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Victoria, B C. June 30th 1894.

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By order

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SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Three Young Ladies Drowned in Sproat Lake, Alberni, on Saturday Morning.

Two Nieces and a Daughter of A. C. Faber, Victims of a Terrible Accident.

Alberni, July 16.—A very sad drowning accident happened at Sproat's lake on Saturday last. The Misses Faber, nieces of Mr. A. C. Faber, of Sproat lake, and the eldest child of Mr. Faber, a girl about four years old, were found drowned not far from Mr. Faber's house. The body of the little girl was found floating near the shore and the two young ladies in about ten feet of water not far from the shore. Just how it happened no one can tell, as there were not any witnesses. Mrs. Faber, hearing another and younger child crying on the shore, hurried down to see what was the matter and found her eldest child drowned close in shore. The greatest sympathy is felt for the family. The two Misses Faber had not been long out from England. One of the young ladies had on a bathing costume, the other had on her ordinary clothes.

The weather for some time has been all that is desirable for haymaking, and it is to be hoped that enough has been cut and stored to serve through the winter without importing, as has been the case in the past.

Steamer Mischief came in last Monday with a load of material and some machinery for the paper mill, and also some goods for settlers. There is every prospect now that she will be making regular trips and develop a trade on the west coast.

Gold mining is not brisk.

NANAIMO NEWS.

Dr. Briggs' Lecture in the Coal City—Vernon's Chance.

Nanaimo, July 17.—Rev. Dr. Briggs lectured in the Wallace street Methodist church last evening to a very large audience. His subject was "Labor Lost." The lecture was well appreciated by those present and the masterly style in which the subject was dealt with plainly convinced those present that the lecturer was well acquainted with the subject.

A garden party was given by the leaders of the Methodist church last evening and on this special occasion the Salvation Army band was engaged and added much to the attraction of the party.

Dr. Walkem is of the opinion that Hon. Forbes Vernon has a very slim show in being returned for Yale.

Judge Harrison had an amusing case brought before him yesterday by Miss R. L. Spencer against G. Raymond, proprietor of the Hotel Wilson, who refused to sell her a meal at his establishment on account of the lady's officiousness in the department of the kitchen. The case was tried by a jury who found the plaintiff had proven no case for damages, so his lordship awarded costs for the defendant.

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Brief Locals.

—H. M. S. Pheasant sailed for Behring Sea at two o'clock this afternoon.

—South Sea Islanders open on Friday at Oak Bay. Aequatic exhibition free. Cars run every ten minutes.

—The charge of having poisoned a dog, prefered by Postmaster Mewburn, of Oaklands, against William Nicolas was dismissed in the police court this morning. There was absolutely nothing to connect the poison which Mr. Nicholas bought and set out in a locked shed for mice and rats with the death of the dog.

—Hong Hu Shy, who was arrested on a charge of having stolen a wage book from Wo Kee, was let off in the police court this morning. He got the benefit of the doubt created by some very tall swearing on both sides of the house. Magistrate Macrae is called upon at times to pass on some very contradictory evidence, particularly in Chinese cases.

—A Chinese domestic known only as Johnny, employed by a family living on Cook street, was arrested this morning by Sergeant Levin and Officer Carter, and his sanity will be examined into. He had been acting strangely and talking in a foolish way for several days and Dr. John Duncan was called in. That gentleman certainly considered the man to be crazy and unsafe to have in the house. Dr. George Duncan, medical health officer, examined the Chinaman to-day, and will very likely recommend that he be sent to Westminster.

—Among other rumors about the vacant chief-justiceship is one to the effect that the position has been offered to Mr. Justice McCreight. A good many people would like to see the position offered to an eastern lawyer of standing and ability, who would bring to the work a mind uninfluenced by old friendships and animosities, or by professional and social relations. Among the justices most favored by the public for preferment are Hon. Justices Walkem and Drake. Justice Crease, who claims seniority on the bench, and Justice McCreight are no longer young men, and if they have not already attained to the age at which they can be superannuated at the will of the government, it will only be a few years until that time has arrived. Among the lawyers mentioned for seats on the bench are Messrs. Pooley of this city and McColl of Westminster.

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Marine.

The Dominion government quarantine steamer Earl will be ready for service in about ten days.

The City of Glasgow is due from London. She is out over 130 days.

The steamship Queen is due from Alaska the last of the week.

Use Gibbon's Toothache gum sold druggists.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World.

ATHLETICS.

THE INTERNATIONAL CONTEST.

London, July 16.—Great interest is manifested in the international athletic contest between the nine young gentlemen from Yale and the flower of the university of Oxford, which opened on the Queen's club grounds at Kensington yesterday. All the seats in the grand stand are sold and there was an immense standing concourse on the oval. The American colony had a big section of its own on the grand stand. Naturally the English favored their own team, but it was admitted that the Americans were not going to be wiped off the face of the earth by any means. The Yale men are all tall, handsome, powerful fellows, with the breadth of shoulder and the slimness of waist that bespeak the athlete. William Orville Hickok, the captain of the team, is a giant in strength and stature. He is six feet two and a half inches tall and weighs two hundred pounds. He is only nineteen years old, but has proved that he has not only the strength, but the nerve and skill to take the first rank in athletics. At the Yale games in the autumn he broke the world's record with the hammer and at the winter games he beat his own record with the shot. The other members of the team are Alexander Brown, jr., George Foster Sanford, Ernest Hyde Cady, Lewis Pendleton Sheldon, W. S. Woodhull, Ashley Pond, jr., George Bates Hatch and Joseph Elias Morgan. After the contest the athletes will take a little pleasure trip. Following are the individual performances and records in the various events of members of the two teams:

W. O. Hickok, record, hammer, 125 feet 1 inch; shot, 42 feet 9 inches. Oxford record, G. S. Robwetson, hammer, 105 feet 1 1-4 inches; E. E. Malling, shot, 38 feet 11 inches.

Ashley Pond, jr., 100 yards in 10 1-5; 440 yards, with six yards handicap, 49 4-5. Oxford record, J. G. Jordan, 10 1-5.

E. H. Cady, 120 yards hurdle, in 16. Oxford record, W. J. Oakley, 16 3-5.

L. P. Sheldon, high jump, 5 feet 10 1-2 inches; broad jump, 22 feet 9 inches. Oxford record, E. D. Swanwick, 5 feet 11 inches; C. B. Fry, 23 feet 6 1-2 inches.

J. E. Morgan, mile run, 4.27 2-5. Oxford record, 4.19 2-5.

The personnel of the Oxford team, complete, was as follows: 100 yards dash, G. Jordan and C. B. Fry; 440 yard run, Jordan and H. Sykes; half mile, W. H. Greenhow, M. Rathbone or W. H. Hallowes; one mile, Greenhow and G. M. Hillard; hurdle race, W. J. Oakley and T. G. Scott; high jump, E. Swanwick and H. A. Gardner or Fry; broad jump, Fry and Oakley; putting 16 pound shot, A. F. Malling and D. H. Eddy; throwing hammer, G. S. Robertson.

DID NOT EXPECT TO WIN.

New Haven, Conn., July 17.—The results of the Yale-Oxford athletic contest in England were hardly a surprise to Yale men here. The opinion of many is versed by a few terse sentences uttered by President Dwight to a reporter last night. "The news from England is quite cheering. I believe our men have made a splendid showing and we may feel gratified as the score already stands. Very few Yale men expected our team would come off victorious. They went to England determined to do their best, and I am perfectly satisfied at the showing they have made, and I believe this feeling will be shared by Yale men generally."

AN ENGLISH OPINION.

The Pall Mall, commenting on the Oxford-Yale contests, says: "Yale can be freely congratulated as well as Oxford. The Americans made an admirable fight." The Globe says the contest shows that there is little difference between young athleticism of England and America. It hopes an annual series of contests will be arranged. Oxford and Cambridge, it declares, ought to return the visit.

YACHTING.

Bangor, Ireland, July 17.—The Britannia and Vigilant are contesting again to-day over the same course as that sailed yesterday. To-day's race is for the Rear Commodore's cup. The weather is showery, with a strong westerly wind. The yachts started even, the Britannia having the weather side. The Vigilant led by two minutes at the first mark and was nearly three minutes ahead at the second mark. She steadily drew away under a spanking breeze, and at the end of the first round of the course was nerly six minutes in the lead. The wind carried away part of the Britannia's sails and she withdrew. The Vigilant was six minutes ahead when the mishap occurred. The Britannia's forestay gave way, and the Vigilant went over the course and was declared the winner.

After the Britannia anchored off the club house it was ascertained that she had not carried away her forestay but had broken the jaws on her off shackling. The iron fell to the deck striking Captain Carter on the side of the head. He was not injured seriously. The Vigilant covered the course in four hours, 49 minutes and 48 seconds, or at a rate of somewhat more than ten knots an hour. There was more enthusiasm as the Yankee craft came dashing down to the finish that attended the victory of the Britannia. Guns and boomed whistles screeched.

THE TURF.

SALTYKOFF STAKES.

London, July 17.—The race for the Saltykoff stakes was won by Seaholm, Choice, second; Whisten, third.

DILLINGHAM PLATE.

London, July 17.—The race for the Dillingham Plate was won by None-the-Wiser, Golden Slipper, second.

CANOEING.

THIS EVENING'S CRUISE.

The first evening cruise of he Victoria Canoe Club is to be held this evening. The members will meet at the club house at 7 o'clock and proceed to the head of the arm. Members having banjos, guitars, etc., are requested to bring them along.

The Pope a Century Age.

It was to conciliate the irresponsible, light hearted and ignorant pleb., that to the very last the popes surrounded themselves with a pomp and splendor that made the people cry "Bella!" as if they had received a fine gift from fate. In his coronation procession to St. John Lateran to the roar of cannon and the clashing of all the bells of Rome's innumerable churches, his holiness was attended by a bodyguard of four and twenty pages with long hair, in vestments of silver embroidery, white silk hose, and with white plumes on their heads. Of course, further, there was his regiment of Swiss, in helmets and breastplates of glittering steel, with their breeches and hose of the papal colors—red, black and yellow.

Of nobles and princes and cardipals, in all the splendor of their wardrobes, there seemed no end, as the long line of them passed through the Forum—then a mere cow market, with the heads and stumps of temples and triumphal arches protruding from the mire, and with a barber's shop insinuated under the stately porch of Septimus Severus. One could fancy the more pensive and cultured of the abbes, in watching the dazzle of this sparkling magnificence attendant upon [illegible] thought in words such as those of Taine a century later: "Modern life is perched upon all these great relics of old-time like a mushroom on a dead oak." Mark, too, the demeanor and satellites of the various cardinals and prelates on their mules, with violet and black housings, their valets carrying scarlet portfolios embroidered with their Graces' coat of arms in gold and silver, and their mace bearers supporting silver maces of rich and admirable workmanship.

Preceded by the cross raised aloft, and guarded by soldiers in scarlet and soldiers in blue silk from the loins downward, the holy father himself appears, on a white mule, draped with crimson velvet embroidered with gold, and himself superb in scarlet velvet and ermine, surmounted by a stole of heavy gold embroidery ornamented with huge pearls. Of old it has been the custom to scatter silver to the crowd on these occasions; but this sop from greatness to insignificance was discontinued, because of the forty persons who were crushed to death in the struggle for the coins in the time of Paul IV.—The National Review.

In connection with the Empress Eugenie's occupation of Abergeldie, which has once again been kindly placed at her disposal by the Queen, it is a fact—not, perhaps, generally realized—that though the French empress is popularly regarded as a Frenchwoman, and by some few is known to be of Spanish birth, her forbears were of Scottish origin, her mother, in fact was a Kirkpatrick of Closeburn, a very old North Briton family, the name of one of the earliest of whose ancestors appears as witness to a grant made by the grandfather of King Robert Bruce.

The organ of the legal profession in Russia gives some interesting data collected at the eighteenth anthropometic stations in the empire. One of the most curious things brought to light is that in Russia each group of criminals has its own particular color of the eye. Thieves and murderers it seems possess "chestnut brown" eyes. Robbers—that is to say, thieves in a large and violent line of business—have slate-colored eyes, and the same is stated of criminals convicted of swindling. The vagabond classes, among whom are probably reckoned the passportless class, have eyes of an azure blue tint. The color most observed among minor criminals is "chestnut brown-green."

PERSONAL.

F. J. Claxton returned from Alberni today.

J. A. Fullerton, of the C. P. R., is in the city.

George Gareshe came up from California yesterday.

F. G. Richards came over from the Sound this morning.

Chas. Merritt and the Misses Merritt of New York are at the Driard.

P. Murphy, formerly of the Adelphi, arrived from San Francisco yesterday.

E. M. Yarwood and J. M. Simpson came down from Nanaimo on the noon train.

Louis McQuade, jr., is home from Montreal where he has been attending college.

Allan Cameron, general agent at Portland for the C. P. R., is in the city. He is at the Driard.

Wm. Brown, assistant general freight agent of the C. P. R. with headquarters at Vancouver, is at the Driard.

R. L. Merrill, manager of the lubricating oil department of the Standard Oil Co., with headquarters at San Francisco, is in the city.

Arthur Piers, superintendent of steamships for the C.P.R., at Montreal, and Lacy R. Johnson, master mechanic of the C. P. R. at Vancouver, are at the Driard.

Fuel Agent Ames, of the N. P. R. R., and Mrs. Ames are in the the city. Mr. Ames was the first engineer to take out a train on the N. P. R. during the strike.

DIED.

MURRAY.—On the 16th inst., at her mother's residence, 51 Michigan street, Lizzie, youngest daughter (twin) of the late Wm. Murray, of Carrington, Midlothian, Scotland.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) at 2:30 p.m. from the residence as above.

DAVIE.—At Fairholme, Belcher street, on the 16th inst., Sarah Holmes, the beloved wife of John C. Davie, M.D.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) at 9 a.m., and at Christ church cathedral at 9:30 o'clock.

CONSIGNEES.

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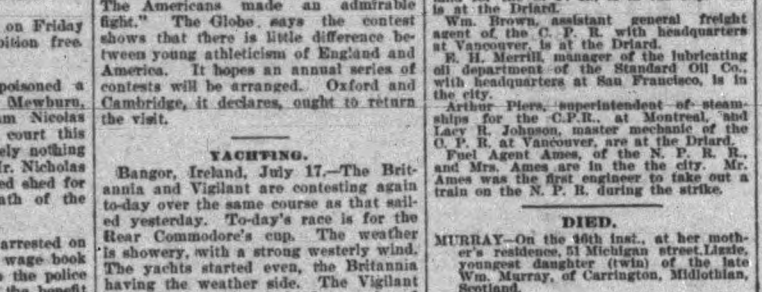

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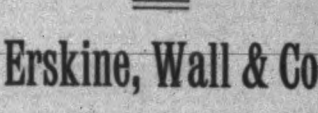

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